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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Serial No.: 10/730,770)	Art Unit: 1636
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Filed: December 8, 2003)	
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Title: PREDICTING THE CAPACITY OF A CELL)	
POPULATION TO INDUCE BONE)	
FORMATION)	

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2004. Kindly amend the above-referenced application as follows.

Amendments to the specification are at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the claim listing, which begins at page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 8 of this paper.